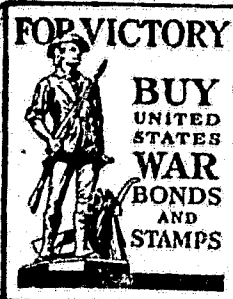
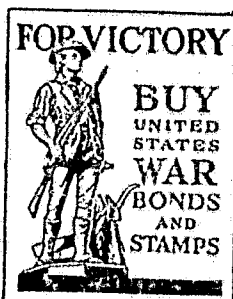


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The BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN



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MUST HAVE WAR RATION BOOK ONE BY DECEMBER 15

The State Office of Price Administration advised, today, that all persons must have War Ration Book One in their possession by December 15. Persons who do not have the book, issued for the first sugar registration, are advised to obtain the book at their local War Price and Rationing Board since stamps in the Book (No. 27-28) have been designated as coffee stamps and will be used for the rationing of coffee.

Not only will War Ration Book One be used to ration coffee to those who are eligible, but no one will be issued War Ration Book Two, which will be ready early in 1943 unless he has War Book One.

Persons who were not eligible for sugar and, therefore, did not get War Ration Book One are advised to get the book by December 15 at their local Board. It will be issued to anyone who has not previously received the book on proof of identity and address. Local Boards will detach such sugar as have expired or to which the person is not entitled.

Only person eligible to register for War Book One after December 15 are persons who have been outside the country who are serving in the armed forces after they no longer are eating at organized messes and persons confined to hospitals until December 15. They must register within a month after discharge. Babies born after December 15 must be registered within a month after their birth.



Pvt. Guy A. Smith of Locke Mills is stationed at Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Pvt. Fred P. Grover is slowly convalescing from pneumonia in the hospital at Scott Field, Ill. Pvt. Grover was the popular manager of the Bethel Theatre before entering the U. S. Army Air Forces last summer. His address is Pvt. Fred Grover, Ward C6, Hospital No. 2, Scott Field, Ill.

Friends of Donald Luxton of West Bethel, now with the Marines somewhere in the Solomons, will be glad to know that his father has recently received a letter from him saying he was all right at the time the letter was written.

Mrs. Milo McAllister has received word that her brother, Sgt. Glendon Allen, formerly of Bethel, is stationed somewhere in England.

Furloughs
Pvt. Dana G. Brooks of the Marine Corps, stationed at Quonset, R. I., enjoyed a short furlough the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks.

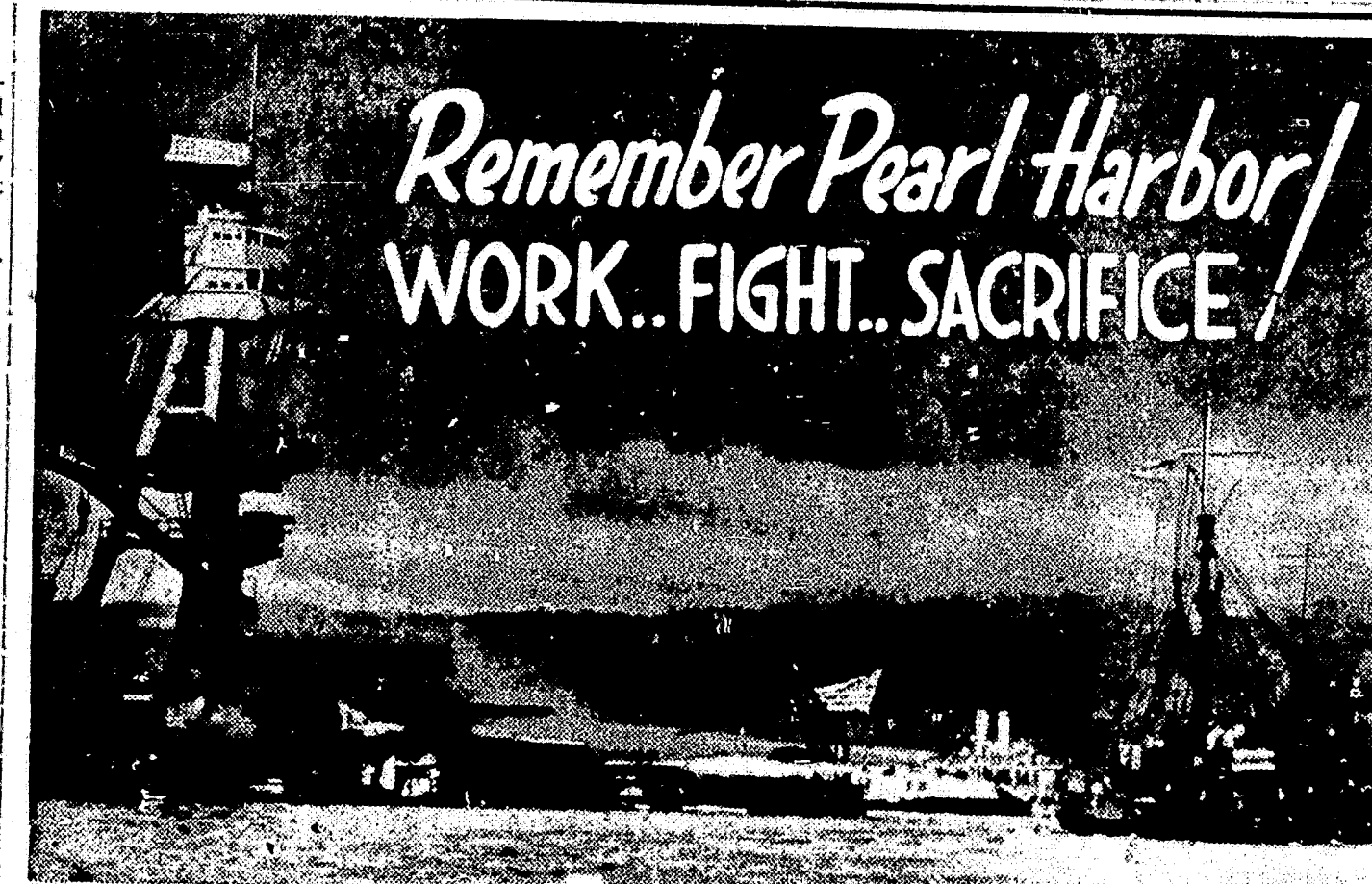
Pfc. Shirley Gilbert of the 23d Marines, stationed at New River, N. C., has been spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert, at West Bethel. Also his brother, Pvt. Arthur Gilbert of the 363d Eng. Regiment, Fort Claiborne, La., has been home for a two weeks' furlough.

Corp. John W. Peabody, Coast Artillery, Fort Hamilton, N. Y., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Peabody, Main Street.

Lib Abner says—



Gawsh! There ain't much time before New Year's—and we gotta sign up for War Bonds with 10% of our pay by that time!



RATIONING BOARD WORKING ON FUEL OIL AND GASOLINE FRIDAY—OFFICE CLOSED

The office of the War Price and Rationing Board at Norway will be closed Friday, Dec. 4, so that Board may work on Fuel Oil and the New Gas Rationing for Trucks. Telephone calls will not be answered.

New books for trucks are being mailed as soon as possible. Deadline for registration of passenger car tires, Dec. 12.

All persons who have not registered for their War Ration Book One, the Sugar Book, must register before Dec. 15, 1942. No person may receive a War Ration Book Two, unless he has registered or has received a War Ration Book One.

MASONIC OFFICERS INSTALLED TUESDAY

The officers of Bethel Lodge, No. 97, P. and A. M., were installed by D. D. G. M. Floyd Mason at a special meeting Tuesday evening. Officers for the coming year are:

W. M. Earle Palmer
S. W.—William Hastings
J. W. Elmer Bennett
S. D. William Chapman
J. D. Norris Brown
S. S. Gardner Brown
J. S. Milo McAllister
Secretary—Earl Davis
Treasurer—Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven
Chaplain—Leslie Davis
Marshal—Clarence Hall
Tyler—Arthur Fogg

MRS. WALLACE BROWN

Mrs. Florence Bryant Brown, wife of Wallace Brown, passed away Monday at her home in this village. She was born in Minot June 3, 1913, the daughter of Eugene R. and Ina Rand Bryant. The family had lived here for about five years. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Brown and the two small children, Eugene and Jerl.

Funeral services were held this Thursday from the Greenleaf funeral home, Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Burial will be at Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls.

BETHEL FARM BUREAU ORGANIZING

The Bethel Farm Bureau is organizing for another year and a cordial invitation to join is extended to anyone who is interested. It is impossible for solicitors to contact everyone. All are welcome. The membership fee of \$1.00 may be sent to the office at South Park or handed to some member, who will see that it is sent in.

The next meeting will be held Dec. 8 at Mrs. Burton Abbott's, when the program will be planned and officers elected. Plans now are for a Christmas dinner and a Christmas tree each member bringing a ten cent gift to exchange.

A Denver, Colo., grill offered a five hamburger for each five pounds of scrap brought in by customers.

ALL WAR FRONTS ARE FAVORABLE; JEFFERS PROMISES TIRES, 1944

A Week of the War

Operations on all fronts against the Axis are progressing favorably, Secretary of War Stimson said. He summarized the situation as follows: (1) The Germans have failed in all of their main objectives for the year in Russia and will have to withdraw from wide areas unless they can stop the Russian counteroffensive. (2) The Allies are building up strong assault forces in Tunisia to oust the Axis, but the enemy there "will offer strong resistance." (3) American and Australian troops have cornered substantial numbers of Japanese troops between Gona and Buna in New Guinea. (4) Although weather conditions make extensive activity difficult in the Aleutians, American flyers are doing everything possible to harass the enemy.

Navy Secretary Knox said it is unlikely the Japanese can get reinforcements into Guadalcanal. Australian troops, advancing on Buna, have smashed Japanese counterattacks, while Allied bombers blasted enemy gun nests and mortar emplacements. Gen. MacArthur's New Guinea headquarters reported Nov. 28. Japanese naval forces, however, despite heavy losses, have landed "strong, fresh reinforcements" on the Buna-Gona beachhead. Earlier Allied airmen sank two and probably three troop-laden destroyers and definitely sank one other destroyer and two smaller vessels.

Communications during the week reported Allied forces in North Africa destroyed 1000 Nazi planes and 21 medium tanks at the cost of nine Allied planes destroyed and four damaged. The War Department estimated U. S. Army and Navy casualties from initial landings in the North Africa operations: Army killed, 350; wounded, 900; missing 350. Navy killed, 16; wounded, 150; missing, 150.

President Roosevelt, in letters to Rubber Director Jeffers and Price Administrator Henderson, stated: "We must do everything within our power to see that the tire rationing program starts Dec. 1st because victory must not be delayed through failure to support our fighting force." Expanded passenger car tire and tube quotas for December to meet needs in the first month of rationing, the plan under which virtually all passenger cars become eligible to apply for needed recapping services or replacement tires were announced.

DECEMBER SALE

at
METHODIST CHURCH
THURSDAY, DEC. 10

BETHEL C. D. WOMEN TO BE FINGERPRINTED SATURDAY

Homer Farnum of Bryant Pond will be at the Bethel Selectmen's office Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 5, for the purpose of finishing the finger-printing of the women who took the various courses in Civilian Defense. It is hoped that all not previously done will make a special effort to go at this time.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Una Stearns of Hanover wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter Mary Emily, to Robert Edward Billings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Billings of East Bethel.

Miss Stearns is a graduate of Gould Academy and Farmington Normal School and is teaching at Wilson's Mills.

Mr. Billings is a graduate of Gould Academy and has been employed at the Tebbets mills at Locke Mills.

No date has been set for the wedding.

announced by the Office of Price Administration. The total of passenger car tires and recapping services combined is 2,301,342 for December, against 1,285,189 for November. Rubber Director Jeffers stated that unless tires are conserved in the U. S. by nationwide gasoline rationing until synthetic rubber production gets into full swing in 1944, the United Nations' rubber stockpile will be reduced to "considerably below the point of reasonable safety." In 1943, there will only be 30 million tires, including recaps, available for automobiles, compared with a normal demand of 49 million tires "if all goes well." Mr. Jeffers said, "we should be able to allocate important quantities of rubber for the manufacture of civilian tires in the early months of 1944. Thus, if there is no hitch in the program, we should be able in 1944 to replace in a large measure the automobile tires now in use on the 27 million passenger cars and the five million trucks operating in the United States."

War Secretary Stimson announced Army furloughs will be granted between Dec. 12 and Jan. 12 to no more than 10 percent of the enlisted strength of any camp or station at any one time. Mr. Stimson said many young officers have been transferred from Washington jobs to combat duty, and they will continue to be transferred until at least two-thirds of the officers on duty in Washington will be more than 25. The Federal Communications Commission announced that after December 1 members of the armed forces and persons sending money to them will receive a 50 percent rate reduction on domestic telegraph money orders up to \$25.

Selective Service registrants will be required to carry classification cards as well as registration cards with them at all times beginning Jan. 1.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICE

On Thanksgiving Day services were held at the Christian Science Church. The services were opened with the singing of Hymn No. 278 from the Christian Science Hymn and the New Gas Rationing for with courage. Each step of the way. The First Reader then read the Thanksgiving Proclamation of the President of the United States and Governor Sumner Sewall, and a Bible selection from Psalms 100: 107. Following this the congregation was requested to join in a few moments of silent prayer, followed by the audible repetition of the Lord's Prayer, with its spiritual interpretation as given in the Christian Science textbook, Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy. The Hymn No. 30, "Brood o'er us with Thy sheltering wing," was sung. The subject of the sermon was "Thanksgiving." Selections were read from the Bible and Science and Health. Brief testimonies were given expressing gratitude to God for all blessings. Reading of the Scientific Statement of Being, and the benediction ended the services.

W. S. C. S. HOLDING ANNUAL DECEMBER SALE THURSDAY

The Annual December Sale sponsored by the W. S. C. S. will be held Thursday, Dec. 10, at the Methodist Church.

Because of traveling conditions this year the W. S. C. S. has tried to prepare a larger variety of Christmas gifts than ever before, to help the townspeople with their shopping. Several new features will include a booth of gifts for children, a Christmas nature table, a harvest table and a bargain corner where many excellent articles of clothing will be found.

In addition to these there will be the fancy work table, food and candy, homemakers' booth, novelties, neckties, and handkerchiefs, apron table and mystery packages.

It is hoped that Santa Claus will be able to attend as usual.

More than 552 million pounds of foodstuffs and other farm commodities were delivered for shipment to the allied nations during September, the largest part consisting of concentrated foods and animal protein products. Total September deliveries were 40 percent larger than the previous month. During World War I, the bulk of food shipments overseas were grains and cereals. More than half of the lend-lease foodstuffs delivered have been dairy products and eggs, meat and fish, and fats and oils.

Uses of nitrogen fertilizer are being limited to conserve short supplies, and farmers will need to rely more heavily on legumes and farm manures as substitutes. Supplies of phosphorus and potash fertilizers are expected to be adequate. With careful handling, essential needs for insecticides and fungicides apparently can be met, but substitutions may be necessary. In 1942, only 20 percent as much new farm machinery will be made as in 1940. At present 18 types are being rationed, and about 4 times as many types may be rationed next year.

Ride sharing groups have been organized in all of Connecticut's 469 war plants.

Andy Gump says—



"OH, MIN!"—We're going to buy more War Bonds. Like everyone else we're going to "top that 10%" by New Year's."

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



THE CALIOPE.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Arthur Johnson is spending a few days in Portland with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Casey. Ruth McInnis spent the weekend with Mrs. Clarence Rolfe. Bertie Briggs of Paris is working for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett, finishing the interior decorating in their new home. Rev. Orrin A. Manifold of Boston was in town Wednesday afternoon calling on friends. Wednesday evening he conducted a Thanksgiving service at the church. After the service the ladies served light refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed. There was a good attendance at Sunday School in spite of the cold Sunday morning. There will be a pot luck supper and Christmas tree for the children and their families in the near future. The children are learning Christmas carols and an evening in keeping with the Christmas spirit will be arranged for the children. Watch for the date. The West Bethel Sunday School will send Christmas cards and a small gift to each man in the Armed Forces from West Bethel and Mason. The School League and P. T. A. are also remembering our local boys in the Service with either cigarettes or candy packages, to all the boys now outside the U. S. belonging in West Bethel and Mason. Miss Esther Mason, who has employment in the National store at Norway, was at home over the holiday. Miss Ruth Walker enjoyed a short vacation from her duties at the C. M. G. Hospital returning Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Maude O'Reilly spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Lovejoy. A family gathering at Clarence Rolfe's on Thursday included Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Rolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rolfe and children. Miss Joyce Abbott has returned to Brunswick to resume her duties.

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BRYANT POND, MAINE

lies at the Brunswick hospital spending a few weeks at home. Mrs. Clara Abbott is visiting relatives in Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hutchinson and son Richard spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hutchinson. Primary School 100 percent in Spelling for week ending Nov. 27: Grade IV—Alberta Merrill, Maurice Coulombe; Grade III—Patricia Rolfe, Patricia Davis; Grade II—Robert Hutchinson. 100 percent in attendance for six weeks—Alberta Merrill, Maurice Coulombe, Patricia Davis, Lionel Coulombe, Mary Kneeland, Howard Rolfe. Grammar School 100 percent in Spelling: Grade V—Elizabeth Davis, Ronald Kendall; Burton Rolfe, Charles Smith; Grade VI—Joseph Kneeland, Richard Rolfe; Grade VII and VIII—Marvin Kendall, Donald Walker; Special Work Zane Tibbets. Burton Rolfe, 100 percent in daily work for six weeks, also 100 percent in the examination, therefore 100 percent for six weeks work. 100 percent attendance for six weeks—Joseph Kneeland, Ruth Hutchinson, Donald Bennett, Burton Rolfe, Lidel Maxin, Elizabeth Davis. Rowe Hill Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom spent Thanksgiving with his parents at North Newry. They were supper that evening of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bryant. Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring took Thanksgiving dinner at Bryant Pond. Glenn Martin spent a few days last week on a hunting trip at Albany Basin. Lee Sumner is working for Ozzie Palmer. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom have moved to Locke Mills for the winter.

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Dawn TOILET TISSUE 4 rolls 25c
IGA SOAP GRAINS 2 lg. pkgs. 37c
PurAsnow FLOUR 24 1/2 lb. bag \$1.19
Campbell's TOMATO SOUP 3 cans 25c
Kellogg's SHREDDED WHEAT 2, 23c

THE RANGER'S COLUMN

W. F. BOND
— Androscoggin District Ranger —
White Mountain National Forest

Roy Brown, formerly a guard on the Saco District, has taken up his duties of clerk dispatcher on the Androscoggin District. Roy has had considerable experience with the Forest Service before his coming to Gorham, having been stationed at the Twin Mountain Guard Station for several years on the Ammonoosuc District. Last spring he was transferred to the Saco District to take over the duties of the Cold River Guard at Chatham, New Hampshire. The Brown's have rented the Edward's house on Mechanic Street in Gorham and plan to move in this week.

We get a new man and lose an old one. Henry Delisle for several years superintendent at the York Pond Fish Hatchery in Kilkenny has been called into the Army and will have left by the time this column goes to print. The entire personnel of the Androscoggin District join with his many friends in wishing him the best of luck and a speedy return.

The importance of wood in the war industries increases daily as the chemists fathom the depths of its intricate make-up. The development of wood to take the place of strategic metals is a brilliant story in American industry. Compreg is wood treated with resin and compressed. It is superior to metal for plane propellers because its density can be tapered from the hub to the tip to give dynamic balance. Compreg wood is hard, dense, dark with a beautiful finish—a material of many possibilities.

Another product is made of layers of a special kind of paper impregnated with a synthetic resin and subjected to pressure. It comes out as an amber translucent sheet of plastic, weighing one half as much as aluminum and with the tensile strength of steel. The paper is made from wood pulp. Waterproof and weatherproof plywood is a material which was invented just in time to get into the war. It replaces strategic metals in the manufacture of life boats, trainer air planes, cargo planes and gliders, and takes the places of rubber in pontoon bridges.

These few items indicate the possibilities of wood, the list is endless. While the wizardry of the chemists bring wood into an important place in the war effort by the discovery of those materials.

fuelwood can play no less an important part if used instead of coal or oil wherever possible. By using wood for fuel, transportation systems can be relieved from hauling other types of fuel into the section, thus making more coal available for the manufacture of steel, and more oil available to run the machines of modern war.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two from day to day from the third Tuesday of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of December, A. D. 1942, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Malvena C. Abbott, late of Upton, deceased; Second and final account presented for allowance by Gerard S. Williams, Admr. d. b. n. c. t. a.

James W. Bucknam, late of Avon, Massachusetts, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Perley W. Churchill, executor.

Mary J. Bartlett, late of Greenwood, deceased; 19th Trust Account for the benefit of Bertha May Davis presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, trustee.

Mabel Harden Chase of Greenwood, ward; Eighth account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, Guardian.

Fred Haggood of Bethel, ward; Seventh account presented for allowance by Mildred Haggood Lyon, Conservator.

Silas F. Littlehale, late of Bethel, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Mary F. Clark, Executrix.

William Francis Swan late of Hanover, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Clarence G. Howe, Adm. d. b. n. c. t. a.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register. 50

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Col.

There was a good attendance at the early morning service giving morning at the church.

Thanksgiving Rev. James MacKillop Howard Mrs. Fannie daughter, Margaret, Whitman and daughters.

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EVERY good news photographer knows many practical short cuts in this business of picture making, and many amateur photographers could adopt a few with beneficial results.

For instance, most topnotch news men make it a habit of carrying a camera at all times. They know one never can tell when a picture is going to "show up," and, whenever that may be, they want to be ready for it. Think of how many good pictures it might mean to you if you make it a practice to carry a small camera whenever convenient.

You'll also find that news cameramen are invariably looking ahead. They try to anticipate pictures, and that's a good trait to cultivate—especially when you're picturing sports or action of any kind. Watch the next news photographer you meet, and you'll see what I mean. His movements may be casual, but his eye is alert. He has sized up the probabilities, the likely spots for good pictures, and technically he's set for those conditions. Then when the picture opportunity ar-

rives, he can get his shot before you can say "1/8."

Another point you'll notice about the successful news cameraman, who usually must shoot in a hurry, is that he doesn't worry too much about composition and arrangement when he's making pictures. He's more interested in snapping the subject than in producing a striking composition. Of course, that's not the best way to get appealing pictures, but it's sometimes the necessary procedure. You can, of course, crop and trim a picture to improve the composition once you've got the image on your film.

Generally speaking, you'll discover that technically the news cameraman doesn't have any terrific advantage over the average amateur. He uses standard developers and printing papers. He has to follow the same basic laws of photography. But he does have the advantage of constant picture making and is thoroughly familiar with his camera. And familiarity with equipment is important to all good photographers.

John van Guilder

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

There was a good attendance at the early morning service Thanksgiving morning at the Baptist Church.

Thanksgiving Guests

Rev. James MacKillop and son, Howard Mrs. Fannie Howe and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters, Edith and

Clara were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mrs. Nancy Andrews Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway and children Phyllis, Harriett and Burton. Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring and children, Arthur and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham and four children, Bessie Alberta, Roland and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Farnum and children, Alice and Leatrice were guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Arthur Wardwell at Albany. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Farnum and children, Cecil and Freddie, also Hugh Farnum were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Farrum.

Mrs. Merle MacKillop spent Thanksgiving in New York where she is on a visit to her daughter, Miss Thelma MacKillop, who is working there.

There were many guests in town and many went out of town for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children, Arlene and Kenneth and Mrs. Inez Whitman visited Mrs. Clifford Taylor and family at Oakland last Friday.

Mrs. Inez Whitman was a guest of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whitman, at Norway Saturday. Herbert and Raymond Berryment were also visitors there.

Mrs. Hattie Brown went Monday to Bath where she will stay with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Johnson and family for awhile.

Albert Linwood and Richard Felt, Chester Bean, Herman Billings, James Billings, Donald Clifford, James Farrar and Everett Cole have each got a deer recently.

Sherman Ordway and Lyman Wing have moved their families to Rumford where they have work in the Oxford Paper Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ordway and friends of Hebron and Lauri Littlehale of Gould Academy were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ordway.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and Ramona and Mary Stuart Farnum were week end guests of Mrs. Farnum's parents Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry at Gorham, N. H.

The military ball held at the Gymnasium Wednesday night was well patronized.

SOUTH BETHEL

Francis Brooks was in South Paris Monday of last week. Charlie Mason and Alfred Mason were the lucky ones to get deer Saturday.

Quite a few from here attended the dance at Bryant Pond last Wednesday evening.

Clayton Heath and Frank Hobbs of Norway called at the home of James A. Spigney last Friday on their way to the lakes, hunting.

Ernest Brooks of Bryant Pond spent Monday at Frank Brooks'. Verna Mason and Gertrude Mason were home over the week-end from their work in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison were away a few days last week. Gay Walker got a nice deer Monday.

Elsie Hinkley is working at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Daicy and family of Portland and Miss Annie Cross of Norway spent Sunday at Frank Brooks'.

Mrs. Blanch Mason and children have returned to Hartford.

Mrs. Gus Delano's parents from Waterford spent Sunday here.

Mrs. John Swan has returned home from the hospital.

Mrs. Addie Raimy was home over the week-end.

THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Bethel National Bank will be held in the banking rooms of said Bank in Bethel, Maine, on Tuesday, January 12th, 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any business that may legally come before said meeting.

FRED B. MERRILL, Cashier. Bethel, Maine December 1, 1942.

NEWRY CORNER

Mrs. Ernest Holt and daughter, Helen Han, resumed their schools in Upton, Wednesday.

The Farm Bureau will meet Dec. 8 with Mrs. Grace Arsenault for the Planning Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Auburn were Thanksgiving guests of their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Morton Jr., and family.

Mrs. Leroy Thurston, who has been visiting with her parents, returned to Rumford Tuesday.

The snow plows were out for the first time this season on Monday morning.

Mrs. Olive Williams and daughter were making calls in town Tuesday.

Quite a heavy thunderstorm passed over here Wednesday afternoon.

Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

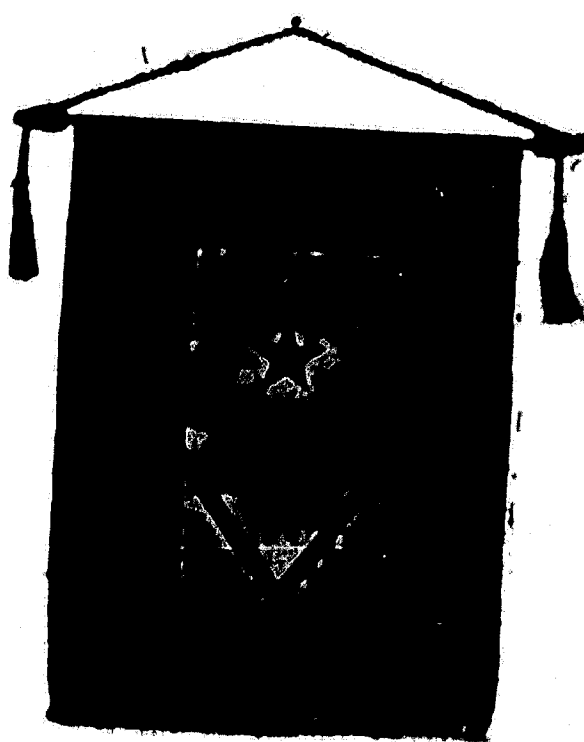
Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery. Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination. There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have been winning new friends for more than forty years. They have a nationwide reputation. Are recommended by grateful people the country over. Ask your neighbor!

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Unselfish Leadership—Need of the Hour

By DR. GEORGE S. BENSON
President, Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

(Editor's Note: Dr. George S. Benson is president of Harding College of Searcy, Arkansas, a co-educational institution noted for having no unemployed graduates. Dr. Benson found himself catapulted into the headlines in 1941 when he appeared before the House Ways and Means Committee, and Senate Finance Committee, and offered a concrete plan for cutting non-defense expenditures by two billion dollars. Selfish Harding College students recently hit the headlines when they asked the National Youth Administration to accept the return of funds allotted to them, requesting that the sum be invested in "tools for MacArthur's men.")

Should the United Nations, America and her allies, fail to fight off their enemies in the fiercest and most merciless of all wars; should the armies of conquest achieve their aim and enslave the world, it will not be because Axis soldiers are braver or more skillful (for they are not) nor yet because they are more numerous. Only one thing can cause such a dire calamity—selfishness.

Two Defeats

Unselfish patriotism could win this war with surprising promptness. It is able to preserve the United States, completely whole and good as ever, after the war is over. But opportunism still has two chances to scuttle the Ship of State. (a) Too many people selfishly seeking their own private advantage can hamper America's war effort enough to bring defeat. (b) The same thing can snuff out democracy after the war, even after victory in battle.

It is my sincere belief that the most crying need of this crucial hour is unselfish leadership, for government, for industry, for labor, and for agriculture. Be it observed that I said "leadership" for it is also my sincere opinion that an overwhelming majority of slave holders, farmers, laborers and industrialists are basically unselfish, willing and anxious to make sacrifices for victory, and on behalf of the governmental system under which they have enjoyed the finest living conditions ever made possible to any segment of mankind. Yes, the great masses of our people are Americans first.

Since wealth is measured by the amount of useful goods it produces, every important nation of the world is currently getting poorer. The war is taking wealth in the form of automobiles, houses, and other formerly produced useful things and converting that wealth to the production of airplanes and tanks which are not useful to individual citizens in peacetime. While national wealth thus shrinks before our eyes, no man should expect his personal wealth to grow in value.

War Destroys Top Sell
A cotton farmer's land is wealth

because it grows a useful crop which can be sold at a good price. If the top soil were removed from the farmer's land so that it would raise only weeds, his wealth would be destroyed. Just so, war is bringing destruction to wealth normally used in creative activities; is making every one of us poorer. This is inevitable in war. The sooner we realize this fact, decide to bear our burdens cheerfully, and to give our maximum service, the sooner this tidal wave can be turned back and the sooner victory may appear on the horizon.

Should American citizens be selfish enough to say, by word or deed,—"Hitler isn't so bad. We do not care to help him, but we won't help very energetically to defeat him either, unless we get more than we ever got before,"—then victory will not be achieved.

Should government officials play politics; should organizations with war contracts insist upon huge salary bonuses; should well paid workers in war factories refuse the President's wage freezing plan; should farmers who toil from dawn to dusk fail to do their best, regardless of parity, then morale will be shattered and rancorous factionalism increased.

What Won in 1776?

Was the American Revolutionary War won by politicians who thought only of remaining in office? Was it won by those who fought hardest for big profits?

No. Big profits, high wages, high farm prices did not win the American Revolutionary War. Neither will they win this war. It was the Valley Forge spirit of sacrifice which made that victory possible and laid the foundation for today's freedom and prosperity.

Unselfishness and wholehearted cooperation for the cause of freedom and democracy will win this war and stop the destruction of our wealth.

Since Jesus trudged the primitive highways of Asia Minor, doing good, the world has heard of no completely unselfish life. But there have been many memorable examples of devotion to human progress and freedom. If this war against the Axis powers is to be won and democracy saved we must immediately have unselfish leadership at the helm in every department of civilian life.



BUY WAR BONDS

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1942

-Years Ago-

40 YEARS AGO—Dec. 3, 1902

W. C. Bryant has moved into the house on Summer Street which his father purchased of L. S. Coburn.

Four deer and a large moose came down on the Lake stage Friday afternoon; the moose belonged to Mr. Densmore of Norway.

Howard Wiley, who spent Sunday in town, started Monday for Jacksonville, Fla. He has a situation as Pullman conductor between that city and Tampa.

25 YEARS AGO—Nov. 29, 1917

The farm buildings of Harold Powers, formerly the Joe Oliver place, at Middle Intervale, were entirely destroyed by fire Friday night. A few household goods and part of the stock was all that was saved.

Prof. W. R. Chapman has purchased the W. K. Aston place at Shelburne, N. H. It is not known at this time what Mr. Chapman intends to do with the place.

Captain George B. Farnsworth, who has been very ill of pneumonia at Camp Chillicothe, Ohio, is so far recovered that he went to Atlantic City Monday to recuperate. Dr. and Mrs. Gehring, who have been with him, are expected home this week.

10 YEARS AGO—Dec. 1, 1932
Miss Methyl Packard spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Packard last week before leaving for Ussup Island, Fla.

Dr. Ralph O. Hood is practicing in Berlin, N. H., Wednesdays and Saturdays for Dr. Cutler, who has an injured hand.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts left Wednesday to spend two months in Boston, where the Doctor will do clinical work at the New England Medical Center.

WILSONS MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bennett are spending a few days in Malden, Mass., where their son, Russell, is on furlough.

Clinton Bennett and Johnny Olson were lucky deer hunters last week.

Misses Mary Stearns and Ida Cushman spent the holiday vacation at their homes in Hanover and Bryant Pond respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mann and children, Elise and Elaine, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Littlehale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Littlehale, daughter Donna, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Judkins were at Farmhouse Club for Thanksgiving.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ramons of Freeport were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan.

Nestor Ruokolainen left for Fort Devens on Friday.

Helen Tammlander and Lillian Miettinen of West Paris spent the holiday week-end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis entertained for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis and daughter of Mechanic Falls, Marle Whitman and children of Woodstock, Mrs. Frank Curtis and Ernest Curtis of Tubbs District, Lucy Curtis of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Galen Curtis.

Mrs. Clyde Morgan called at St. Mary's Hospital on Friday to see her sisters, Mrs. Merl Whitman and Mrs. Franze Mills, who are patients there.

The Advanced First Aid Class finished its course on last Thursday under the supervision of Bertha Davis.



Free Christmas Cards



When Francis Scott Key saw Old Glory still waving "o'er the land of the Free and the Home of the Brave," he was inspired to write the immortal "STAR-SPANGLED BANNER." In this symbolic picture, the light from the star of Bethlehem, and the Phantom imaginary lights forming the likeness of Old Glory symbolize the Two Greatest Lights that ever came to bless humanity—freedom of speech, freedom of worship and personal liberty which will always flourish in our country if our nation continues to follow the principles of Christian Brotherhood that shone forth from the Star of Bethlehem centuries ago.

These Two Great Lights are making this Christmas a happier and brighter Christmas for all.

Your relatives, your friends, your boys fighting or in training for these high ideals—all will appreciate a Christmas Greeting Card this Holiday Season — Keep up the morale. Send Christmas Greeting Cards.

Box of Christmas Greeting Cards Free! to Subscribers

Yes and we mean FREE! We have secured a special selection of Christmas Greeting Cards in boxes, which we will give to those who become subscribers to this paper. Old subscribers who renew their subscriptions will also receive a box of these patriotic Christmas Greeting Cards. Boxes contain 20 cards—one design.

Limited Quantity!

No more Christmas Cards will be manufactured this year! Only a limited supply is available. Subscribe now to be sure of getting your cards.

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For each one year's subscription in cash covering new, renewal, or paying up delinquent subscription, the publisher of this paper will give you one box of 20 Christmas Cards.

Come in And See Them

The supply of these cards is limited and we reserve the right to withdraw the offer when the supply is exhausted.

The CITIZEN

GOULD ACADEMY

The Girls' Athletic Club has a meeting Tuesday morning, to nominate girls for of Freshman Representative. Nominated were Margaret B. Chipman, Ann Terriberry.

Tuesday evening after Freshman girls met to these nominees, and Ann was elected to the office.

Herbertina Norton, G. has the distinction of poem, "Desire," published 1942 Anthology of Private School Poetry, printed National High School Association of Los Angeles, copy of this book has been added to the Gould library.

Camera Club

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After commenting on each print, Mr. Foster gave them over to informal exchange of them by all the members.

The Gould Academy Outing is sponsoring a party to be at the William Bingham room, Friday evening, December 4, 1942. Entertainment consists of a the 1936 Olympic Ski Championships, barn dancing, populating, and a skit put on by the Academy faculty. Refr will be sold. Admission 25 cents per couple, 15 cents son. All profits will go benefit of the Outing Club used for future good times.

Notice

Gehring Hall girls, with ing around your way soon! What for? Well, secret. They will be asking you would PLEASE donate old silk and nylon stockings nation-wide drive for their They will be reconditioned silk in them will be used achute silk.

One woman, when going her attic, found 900 pairs of stockings. Perhaps you the same, so please have stockings ready for their when they call to see you.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. entertained the following at Thanksgiving dinner: Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mrs. Harris Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood family, Mr. and Mrs. Dunham and family, Mr. Gordon Farnham and family, Mrs. Cecil Kimball, Leball, Ivan Kimball, Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. Roy W.

Viola Kimball was a guest sister, Mrs. Harry Bunt family over the holiday and end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardy Lilla Stearns attended Grange at South Paris Nov.

Oliver Spinney spent the at Bethel with Mr. and Mrs. old Nutting and family.

W. A. Hersey and Earl from North Waterford were of Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Friday evening.

Ernest Wentworth spent day with his brother, Fred worth.

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Ducky Ring, Fred McAllister George Wentworth were the hunters Monday, each shot deer.

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Mr. Foster discussed the pictures individually before the members, telling anecdotes from his own acquaintance with the photographer in connection with some of them. Included among the prints was "The Blue Bowl," which was the first picture to become famous of merely a pair of hands supporting a vase. "Flame," another first in photography, was a picture of a girl's face against a black velvet background with her hair spread out above her head by a trick in the taking of the picture. The best known and probably one of the first of Mr. Sheckell's many tree photographs is "In the Path of the Storm," which won three first prizes in commercial contests. The club also saw many other interesting portraits and other views by Mr. Sheckell.

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One woman, when going through her attic, found 900 pairs of old silk stockings. Perhaps you can do the same, so please have your old stockings ready for these girls when they call to see you.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell entertained the following guests at Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway and family, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farnham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball, Leon Kimball, Ivan Kimball, Nancy Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell.

Viola Kimball was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Bumpus, and family over the holiday and weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell and Lilla Stearns attended Pomona Grange at South Paris Nov. 24.

Olive Spinney spent the holiday at Bethel with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting and family.

W. A. Hersey and Earl Libby from North Waterford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell Friday evening.

Ernest Wentworth spent the holiday with his brother, Fred Wentworth.

Linwood Ring was one of the lucky hunters Saturday, getting a nice deer.

Ducky Ring, Fred McAllister and George Wentworth were the lucky hunters Monday, each shooting a deer.

LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent

A party was given to the senior girls, juniors and young men's class of the Sunday School at the home of Mrs. Ruth Ring Saturday afternoon. This party was for those who had attended Sunday School at the home of Mrs. Ruth Ring Saturday afternoon. This party was for those who had attended Sunday School every Sunday the previous month. Games were enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served. Those present were: Raymond Swan, Herbert Dunham, Harry Swan Jr., Reynold Jordan, Fred Mason Jr., Claire and Nellie Lapham, Musa Swan, Pauline Baker, Priscilla Ring, Elouise Dunham, Mary Jean Kimball and Barbara Swan. Mrs. Dora Ford and Mrs. Ella Cole, Sunday School teachers, were also present. Beatrice Jordan who had attended regularly was unable to be present.

The following have had perfect attendance for the past 12 weeks, at the Locke Mills School. Intermediate room: Ronald Baker Arnold Jordan, David Jordan, Hugh Swan, John Davis, Mary Kimball, Herschel Cole, Elouise Dunham, Barbara Swan, Herman Cummings. Primary room: Lloyd Cole, Beth Swan, Alberta Baker, Daniel Cole, Palmer Robinson, Carl Corkum, Kay Dorey, Marlene Marshall, Loraine and Lorinda Robinson. Those receiving 100 percent in Spelling last week were: Intermediate room: Robert Mason, Joan Cor-

kum, Elouise Dunham. Second grade: Roland Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom moved over the week-end from Rowe Hill into a few rooms in Durwood Lang's rent for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutchins and son of Massachusetts have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tirrell and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Tirrell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry at Gorham, N. H.

Will Seames, Willard Cole (Howe Hill), and Herbert Day, Lee Mills, Norwood Ford and Edmund Dorion Jr. each shot a deer recently.

Arthur Coolidge has been on a hunting trip to Newry.

BETHEL SCHOOL SAVINGS

Week of Nov. 30			
Grade	Sav.	Bank	Total
I	\$12.00	\$4.90	72
II	2.00	2.35	52
III	4.00	2.15	72
IV	5.00	3.45	72
V	\$23.00	\$12.85	
VI	\$1.00	\$1.60	35.1
VII		1.65	35.4
VIII		2.15	63.6
	3.00	4.35	57.6
	\$4.00	\$9.75	

Banners are held by Grades I, III and IV (tie), and Grade VII.

The daily cost to France of German occupation would build 2,500 modern workman's homes.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

deferred

Mrs. Edna Bruner, National Organizer for the Universalist church of America, will preach at the Universalist Church next Sunday morning. Miss Bruner is a very able speaker and all members of the Sunday School and all interested should be present at the Sunday School session.

There was a quiet wedding Wednesday evening, Nov. 26 at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes the officiating minister when Miss Laura June Briggs of Auburn and Chester Ashby Decoster of Buckfield were united in marriage, the double ring service being used.

Mrs. Decoster is the daughter of the late Edward Briggs and Mrs. Martena Briggs. She was graduated from Buckfield High School and Farmington State Normal School taught school for several years. Mr. Decoster is the son of the late Albert Decoster and Mrs. Alice Decoster. He is a graduate of Buckfield High School. They were attended by the brides brother, Richard H. Briggs and Miss Dorothy Mason. They will reside in Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bethel of Auburn were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright.

Pvt. Wendall A. Ring from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and Mrs. Ring from Middleboro, Mass were week end guests at the Ring home. Walter Ring coming from Norway, Mrs. Walter Ring from Mechanic

Falls, and Felicia Collette, who is with her mother, Mrs. Glendine Collette in Boston coming home with her uncle and aunt.

Wallace Russell has moved his family from Woodstock to the Perham Block.

Miss Phyllis Flavin from Farmington State Normal School has been spending the Thanksgiving recess at her home here.

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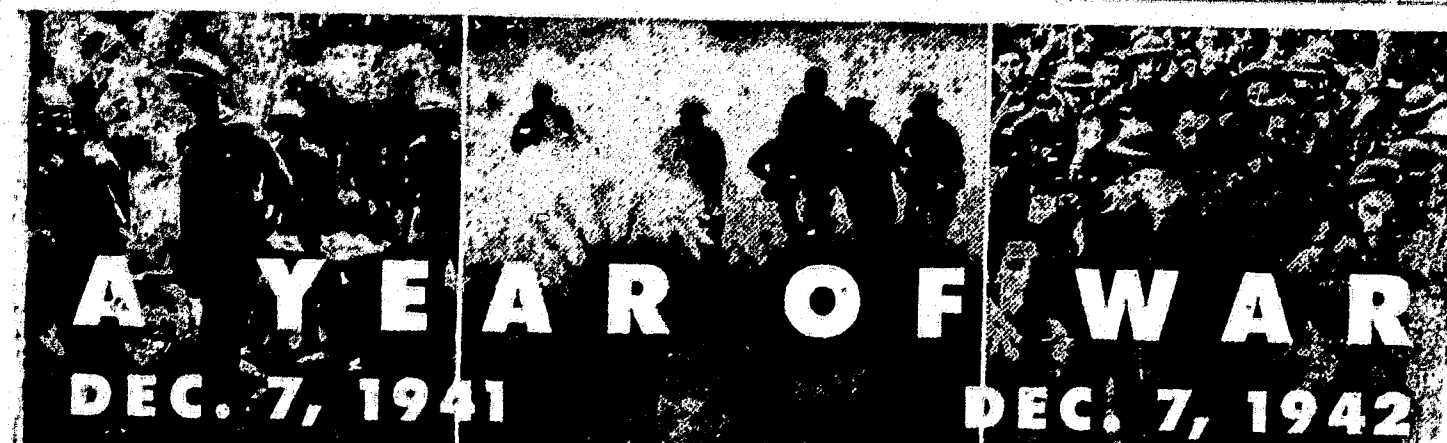


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News and pictures for this section are provided by scores of correspondents throughout Maine.

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A YEAR OF WAR

DEC. 7, 1941 DEC. 7, 1942

MORE tension, excitement, worry and anger were crowded into the first 24 hours of World War II than were experienced in the other 364 days of America's first year of war.

Within two days of the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, Japanese troops began their invasion of the Philippines.

When, on Dec. 16, the United States declared war on Italy and Germany, American marines were battling numerically superior Jap forces on Wake island. The heroic defenders of Wake island, who commanded via radio "Send us more Japs," fell before the enemy eight days later.

Meanwhile the Japanese were spreading their attacks over all the Pacific. Hong Kong surrendered. Then Manila fell. On the same day that Manila fell, 26 United Nations signed a compact to put an end to the dictator nations.

At home rapid steps were being taken to place the nation on an all-out wartime basis.

The President outlined to the nation his program of war, and then named Donald Nelson production boss on January 13.

The heightening crescendo of the nation at war continued. Twenty-one American nations signed a unity pledge at Rio. Five days later, on January 26, the first AEF arrived across the sea in Ulster.

British Singapore surrendered on February 15. One month later U. S. infantry and air forces arrived in Australia. The following day General MacArthur, escaping from the Philippines, arrived there to take command.

Early in April the Japs had overcome almost all resistance in the Netherlands Indies. Bataan fell on the ninth of the month, but Corregidor held on despite continuous artillery and air attacks. Then the Japanese people were given a taste of war. On April 17, Brig. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle led a squadron of bombers over Tokyo and blasted vital spots in that city.

The remainder of the month was rounded out by men 45 to 64 registering on April 27. Sugar rationing, and wartime price control by the OPA went into effect the following day.

The first day of May found American workmen in factories throughout the country producing more and more for victory. The following day, Joseph B. Eastman, defense transportation director, said



that train and bus service was to be restricted. News came from the Coral Sea zone that the Japs were whipped in a great sea battle there. In the middle of the month Mrs. Ovea Culp Hobby was named head of the WAACs.

The first air attack by the Japs on the American continent came on

June third when they bombed Dutch Harbor, Alaska. A few days later 99,770 persons, mostly Japs, were removed inland from the West coast. Then on June 12 Japanese forces landed in the Aleutians, on Kiska and Attu islands. News was breaking fast now. Elmer Davis was appointed head of the Office of War Information. Soon the navy announced (June 22) that it was conveying ships along the East coast. On June 26 one of the greatest news stories of the year broke when the FBI announced they had nabbed eight Nazi saboteurs who had been landed on Long Island and Florida beaches.

A seven man military commission was appointed July 2 by President Roosevelt to try the saboteurs.

The first days of August found Australian and American troops pushing

the Japs back in New Guinea. On August 8 began the United States' Solomon islands offensive as the navy attacked the enemy fleet and shore positions. The marines landed on the 10th and established strong shore positions. Soon they were fighting on Tulagi, Florida, and Guadalcanal islands. Air, land and sea forces joined to beat off attacks by the Japs. Heavy naval losses were recorded by both sides. Meanwhile in the U. S. six of the Nazi saboteurs were found guilty and executed; two were imprisoned.

On September 2, announcement was made that U. S. troops were in Belgian Congo, and that U. S. planes were bombing the Japs in China. American bombers made another foray against the Japs on the Aleutians. A Jap sponsored disobedience movement in Chicago was nipped by the FBI when it arrested 84 Negroes and one white man. Wendell L. Willkie, on his round-the-world tour of the United Nations, visited the Russian battlefield and returned to Moscow toward the last of the month.

Action in the Alaskan zone came in October. On October 3, the army, supported by the navy, occupied the Andreanof group of Aleutian islands—close to Jap-held Kiska. The Japs,

consolidating their scattered forces in Alaska, quit Attu and Agattu on October 7. In an interview Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson announced that by the end of 1943 "the army will be more than seven million soldiers. In Europe, U. S. Flying Fortresses bomb Nazi sub bases at Lorient and ripped it apart. A few days later it was announced that



Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker was missing with his plane crew as it was on a flight to an unnamed destination in the Southwest Pacific. As the end of October neared, the sea-saw struggle between the Nazis and Allies flared up after comparative quiet. Thousands of Allies, many of them U. S. tank-men and aviators, joined with British forces and began the push against Rommel. Lieut. Gen. Montgomery said he was out to clear Africa of the Nazis.

The first day of November found added taxes on many luxuries in compliance with recent passed tax bill intended to add billions to the treasury. Meanwhile in New Guinea, the Solomons, and over the European continent, the Yanks continued to dish it out.

On Saturday, November 7, word flashed through that the American Expeditionary Forces were moving against Vichy, France, in North Africa. Vichy broke diplomatic relations. The fall of Algiers marked the greatest initial American success in establishing the long-heralded second front. Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, in command in North Africa reported himself "well satisfied" with opening developments. Gen. Henri Giraud, French



general who escaped from German prison camps both in this war and the last one, arrived in Algeria to organize a French North African army and "again take up arms side by side with forces of the United Nations for the defeat of Germany and Italy."

The closing days of America's first year of World War II were marked by intense interest in the news of developments on the recently opened African second front and reports from the far-flung battle lines of the Pacific.

Meanwhile this past week Secretary Ickes as Fuel Coordinator handling both coal and fuel oil testified before the Truman Committee and assured Senator Brewster that fuel reserves at present in the New England area were 76% of normal which is 1% above the figure they had been aiming at, and further indicated complete confidence that these supplies would be maintained at this figure.

Seventy five percent of normal requirements has been the goal of the Fuel Administration and Secretary Ickes felt confident that supplies of this amount would continue to be delivered.

The Maine Congressional delegation will be glad to be advised from any section of the State where it has not been found possible to maintain a quota of 75% of normal deliveries. Information of this character is the only way in

which specific situations can be helped out.

Dehydrated Baked Beans
New England baked beans are going to continue a part of the diet of the boys overseas although in powdered form with the water content removed which constitutes two-thirds of their bulk. This means that three times as many beans can be put in the same shipping space.

Yellow-eye baked beans from Maine will also participate as a result of the long battle which finally resulted in recognizing yellow eye beans as proper for baking. This was apparently a revelation to all the other sections of the country where they were familiar only with the other types of beans for baking.

When the boys overseas get ready for their Saturday night supper of baked beans all it is neces-

The Home Front

By Mrs. Julia Kiene
Westinghouse Home Economist

Milk Is A "Must"

MILK has earned the reputation of being the "most nearly perfect food." Which explains why it rates in the government yardstick of good nutrition as one of the "musts" in a well-balanced diet. Every adult requires at least one pint a day and every child a full quart.

In winter, I know it's especially hard to make children drink their daily quota of milk. So why not conceal it in foods, such as meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, creamed soups and custards? It won't curdle if handled properly in combination with other foods.

Take custard for example. Pre-heat the oven to 325°, pour hot water around the cups almost to the top, use a low temperature and don't bake too long. How long? That depends on what your custard cups are made of. But one test is to insert a knife in the center of

the custard and when it comes out clean, the custard is done.

Skim milk, buttermilk, evaporated and condensed milk, dried milk or cheese can be substituted for whole milk. And it's a wise woman who uses sour milk in muffins, waffles, griddle cakes or biscuits. It's just as nutritious as sweet milk.

Don't add soda to milk—sift it with dry ingredients. If very sour use one half teaspoon soda for every cup of milk. If it has just turned, use only one-eighth teaspoon.

MENU
Beef Stew with Carrots and Onions
Mashed Potatoes
Head Lettuce with French Dressing
Hot Biscuits - Butter
Baked Custard - Milk
Coffee

***Baked Custard Recipe**
6 eggs 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup sugar Nutmeg
1/2 cup honey 1/4 teaspoon salt
4 cups milk, scalded
Beat eggs slightly. Add sugar and salt, then milk, to which honey and vanilla have been added. Mix thoroughly. Pour into buttered three-quarter baking dish and sprinkle top with nutmeg. To test, insert knife in center of pudding. If the knife comes out clean, the custard is done. Cool before serving. Bake for 1 to 1 1/2 hours at 325°. Serves 6 to 8.

NEXT WEEK: More About Lunch Boxes.

sary for the cook to do is to add water to the powder and presto the beans are there. Four ounces of the dehydrated baked beans are equal to twelve ounces of regularly cooked beans. They are baked before being dehydrated. The Army Quartermaster Corps has also developed a prune powder, an apricot powder and a Swiss cheese soup composed of potatoes, dry powder, milk, oat and soy flour in addition to the cheese with flavoring ingredients of onion, celery and parsley salts. This powdered soup is all cooked ready to serve simply by the addition of water.

Army's New Butter Product
A new type food product known as Army Spread and intended for soldiers in tropical stations has been developed by the Quartermaster Corps. Army Spread is a combination of creamy butter, fresh cheese curd, and skim milk powder. The butter-fat content of the new canned "butter" is not less than 66%. It will not melt, when in containers, below a temperature of 120 degrees Fahrenheit, whereas an earlier butter substitute issued to the Army, known as Carter Spread melted at 110 degrees. Both Army Spread and Carter Spread are products of the Quartermaster Subsistence Laboratory, Chicago.

Dehydrated Potatoes
The story of dehydrated potatoes has already been told in this column and constantly increasing production is under way. This potato product is proving a most satisfactory method of transporting one of the staple articles of diet. It seems altogether likely that dehydrated potatoes will come to fill a definite part in the diet of Americans in years to come because of the simplicity of handling—both in transportation and preserving and also in preparing for the table. A very fine quality of mashed potatoes can be produced in two or three minutes by the addition of water.

Potato Ceiling Prices
The campaign for marketing Maine potatoes in fancy dried command proper premiums is receiving further impetus this week with the expected announcement by O. P. A. lifting the ceiling prices for these products by a very substantial amount to put them on a parity with comparable products

from other sections. A hearing was held on this matter two weeks ago with the representatives of the Office of Price Administration in the office of Senator Brewster with Commissioner of Agriculture, Carl R. Smith of Maine, and Sturges Dorrance, Marketing Specialist for Maine potatoes, present.

Full description of the special brands of Maine potatoes were shown the representatives of O. P. A. together with samples of the product and all of the sales and packaging material. The announcement of the new ceiling prices on these products will give Maine potatoes a very substantial boost and constitute a tribute to the campaign carried out by Maine potato growers under the leadership of Commissioner Smith and Sturges Dorrance.

With more and more money in the pockets of working Americans and less and less things for which the money can be spent it is believed that fancy brands of Maine potatoes may establish a firm place in the diets of Americans all through the northeastern United States.

This may be of great importance to the potato growing sections of Maine in years to come.

WEST GREENWOOD

J. H. Deegan shot a nice deer last week.

John Lynch and "Curley" Minehan of Lewiston and Dennis Sheehy of Auburn were guests of Paul Croteau recently.

Mrs. Sophie Conner and Mrs. Walter Brown were guests of Mrs. Alden Wilson a few days recently. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brown and baby were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Deegan Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Willis Bartlett of Portland was in town Thursday. Miss H. H. Harrington dined at F. J. Tyler's Thanksgiving.

Perley Raimey of Bath spent the week-end in town.

A large bull moose was seen by several people here last Wednesday morning.

If the nation's 27 million motorists cut their 1943 driving to the figure recommended—5,000 miles—they will save more than 17 million tires, according to estimates.

MAINE IN WASHINGTON

(from the office of Senator Ralph O. Brewster)

Rising Temperatures

As the thermometer goes down in Maine and elsewhere in New England the temperature of New England Yankees continues to rise at the various suggestions that New England may be frozen out in the early-burly incident to the war.

The New England Governors recently indicated very great concern following the repeated manifestations of anxiety by members of the Maine Congressional delegation throughout the past year as to the fuel situation.

Members of the Senate and the House from New England have been called in a meeting this week to consider together concerted measures to insure equitable treatment for New England.

Meanwhile this past week Secretary Ickes as Fuel Coordinator handling both coal and fuel oil testified before the Truman Committee and assured Senator Brewster that fuel reserves at present in the New England area were 76% of normal which is 1% above the figure they had been aiming at, and further indicated complete confidence that these supplies would be maintained at this figure.

Seventy five percent of normal requirements has been the goal of the Fuel Administration and Secretary Ickes felt confident that supplies of this amount would continue to be delivered.

The Maine Congressional delegation will be glad to be advised from any section of the State where it has not been found possible to maintain a quota of 75% of normal deliveries. Information of this character is the only way in

which specific situations can be helped out.

Dehydrated Baked Beans
New England baked beans are going to continue a part of the diet of the boys overseas although in powdered form with the water content removed which constitutes two-thirds of their bulk. This means that three times as many beans can be put in the same shipping space.

Yellow-eye baked beans from Maine will also participate as a result of the long battle which finally resulted in recognizing yellow eye beans as proper for baking. This was apparently a revelation to all the other sections of the country where they were familiar only with the other types of beans for baking.

When the boys overseas get ready for their Saturday night supper of baked beans all it is neces-

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Among the successful hunters in this locality were Frankie Vail, H. H. Morton, Albert Morton, Roy Bennett, Chester Chapman, G. H. Learned and Daniel Wight.

Only 24 deer have been tagged here this year, while last year 38 were registered.

Jesse L. Ferren and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McComb, all of Worcester, Mass., spent Thanksgiving and the week-end at L. E. Wight's. Elizabeth and Daniel Wight were also Thanksgiving guests of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ferren of Worcester, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight of this town went to Byron Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral services of their sister Mrs. Elva I. Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Richardson of Auburn and Kenneth Vail were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Vail Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ferren of Andover spent Saturday evening at L. E. Wight's.

Miss Carrie Wight was at home over the week-end.

What might have been a serious accident happened Friday morning when Percy Walker's car skidded and left the road and turned over in the hill at Screw Auger Falls. Luckily Mr. Walker and Richard Brown of his place, who was with him, escaped injury.

Dick Blake is at home for a few days. He is stationed at Newport, R. I.

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EAST BETHEL

Thanksgiving Day Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Frad Haines entertained George L. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines, Gilbert and Mina Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bickford and family of Lisbon Falls. Mr. and Mrs. James Haines entertained B. W. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett had as guests Mrs. Clifford Bean and J. C. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Averill of Andover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Mrs. Hannah Coolidge of Locke Mills dined with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coolidge were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leiland Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds and baby of Norway Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Curtis and family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pearce at Rumford Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Dietrich and daughter were holiday and week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Farrar spent the holiday and week-end with their children in Auburn.

Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and daughter Shirley went to Hyde Park, Mass., last Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving week-end with her mother, Mrs. Clifford, and sisters.

Mrs. Helen Newmarker and Ann went to Westbrook Wednesday afternoon to spend the holiday and week-end with her mother and brother.

Miss Mary Toft spent the holiday and week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Toft, in South Portland.

Malcolm Farwell was at home over Thanksgiving.

Edith Tyler was guest of honor at a birthday party at her home Friday evening. All the girls in the school district were guests.

Mrs. John Irvine went Thursday to Massachusetts where she is visiting in Newton, Winchester and Boston.

Mrs. Charles Reed went to Bethel Thursday evening to care for Mrs. Wallace Brown. Mrs. Brown passed away Monday but Mrs. Reed is staying several days to care for the children and do the housework.

Mrs. Allan Lindblad has returned to his home in Winchester, Mass., after two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Irvine.

Carl Wight of Bethel spent the week-end with Lendall Nevins.

Willis Bartlett and family were at Urban Bartlett's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and Clayton Swan were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mrs. Chester Harrington and baby went Thursday to York Beach where they are guests of her mother.

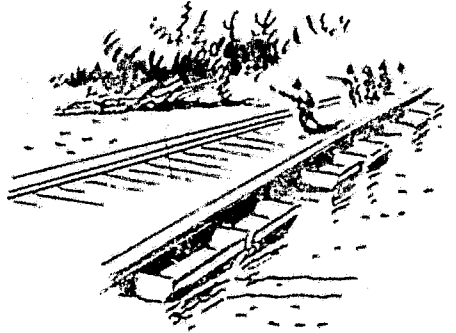
E. W. Dutton has left Urban Bartlett's and is living in the house formerly owned by Mell Bean.

Staff Sergeant Elmer Ryerson left Thursday for Columbia, S. C., to return to duty at Army Air Base.

G. K. Hastings has been ill since Thursday.

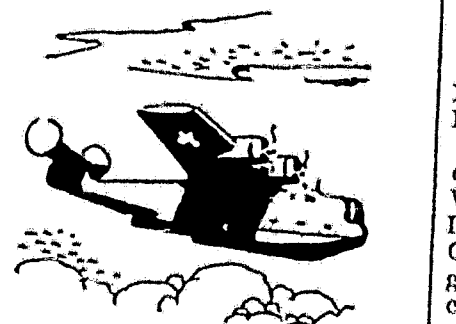
What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Our army spells and pronounces it ponton, not "ponton", as you do. Ponton bridges cost all the way from \$15,000 to \$700,000. The smaller bridge using individual metal pontons is pictured here. The largest ponton bridge is 1,080 feet long and is made of rubber instead of aluminum.



One small bridge has a weight capacity of 25 tons, using about 2,000 individual metal pontons. The smallest is used only to take troops over smaller streams. But whether our army uses the smaller or largest ponton, our engineers need plenty of them. If you and every American invests at least 10 percent of income in War Bonds every pay day we can supply our fighting forces with these essentials to a victorious war.

The giant four-motored Navy Patrol Bombers are the world's most powerful planes. They cost approximately \$700,000 each. The Navy also has a lighter Bomber called the Scout Bomber which costs about \$143,000 apiece.



The battle for Britain was almost lost because England had none of these giant four-motored planes with which to fight back. We need thousands of them and they are coming off the assembly lines at our production plants at a high rate of speed today. You can help buy these for your Navy by purchasing War Bonds and Stamps every pay day. Put at least ten percent into Bonds or Stamps and help your country go over its quota.

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SUNDAY RIVER

The young people of the Church School met with their leader, Mrs. Julia Fleet, at the Sunday River school house for a business and social evening. At the close of the business meeting a program was given for the parents as follows, planned by Florence Nowlin.

Thanksgiving Day, Barbara Nowlin
Thanksgiving Time, Jane Bean
Thanksgiving Wishes, David Fleet
Song Thanksgiving Day, All
Winter Time, Norma Enman
Snow Flakes, Raymond Nowlin
Song, Ginger Up, All
Song, Long Long Trail, All
Thank You, David Fleet, Raymond Nowlin, Barbara Nowlin, Jane Bean

Thank You Song, All
At the end of the program Bibles were presented to all that helped or attended Church School by Mrs. Fleet in the absence of Mr. Scruton.

The Sunday River School presented the following program Wednesday afternoon:

Reading, Courtship of Miles Standish, Florence Nowlin

Songs, The Owl, The Shadow, School

Poem, Thankfulness, School

Little Partner Dance, School

The Harvest Dance, School

Play Hiawatha's Boyhood, School

Song, The Indian Lullaby, School

Song of Praise, School

Indians Pray to Sun God for hope of Harvest and Hunt, School

The Indian Dance, School

Mrs. Scarborough visited school last Wednesday, as did several of the parents.

Mrs. Mary Baker is at R. M. Bean's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean of Portland were week-end visitors at R. M. Bean's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williamson were in town Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean and Jane Bean were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gunther in East Bethel.

U. S. Treasury Department

Mrs. Edna Morse and family were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. John Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cummings entertained Mrs. Addie Farwell of Bethel and Mrs. Clara Reynolds of Paris as guests Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mills and son of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worcester and two sons of West Lebanon, N. H. and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Worcester were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holt were with their son, Carroll Holt, and family over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, dined at Hotel Harris, Rumford, Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Lapham entertained their sons and families Thursday noon.

Mrs. Charles Poore left Tuesday for Montreal to spend some time with her daughter.

Funeral services of Mrs. William Swan were held Monday afternoon from the Barker funeral home, with Rev. William Penner of Rumford Center officiating.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

and Vicinity
Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent
Howard Bolla, Roland and Altan Temple of Massachusetts have returned home after spending the week at L. J. Andrews' hunting. Ruth Bumpus is ill with chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ring and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ring of Lowell spent Thanksgiving at Mrs. Albert McAllister's.

Wallace Cummings and grandson, Edwin Bumpus, spent Thanksgiving day at Harry Bumpus' Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister and daughter Elma were in Bethel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family spent Sunday at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hersey's, at North Waterford. She found her mother in very poor health.

Rev. Duke conducted the Church Service at the Town House Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Only a few were in attendance.

Mrs. Minnie Littlefield and grandson Bud spent Thanksgiving at Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall's at Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister and family called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will McAllister, Sunday.

Coffee consumption in the U. S. in the past 30 years has been more than doubled, while the population increase has been only about 45 percent.

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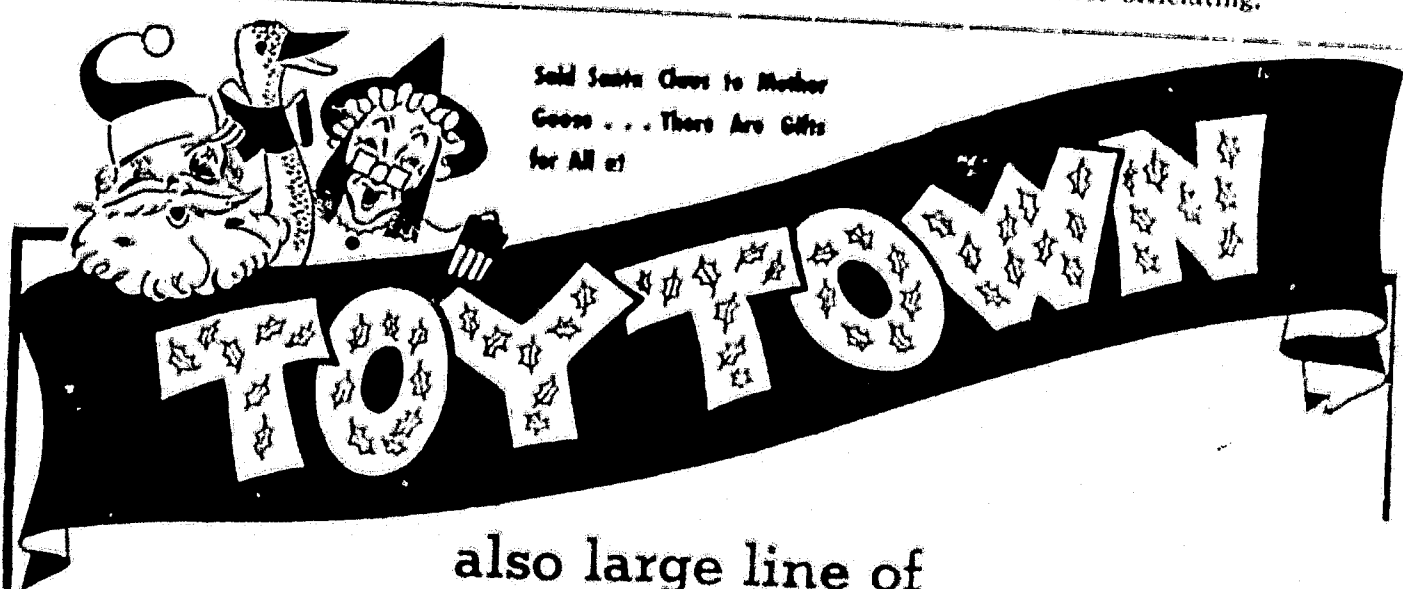
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